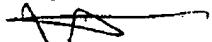


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CUSTOMER NO. 000201
APPLICANT: Pillai et al.
SERIAL NO.: 10/003,850
FILED: November 2, 2001
FOR: Skin Care Product Containing Retinoids, Retinoid Booster and Phytoestrogens
 in a Dual Compartment Package
GROUP: 1617
EXAMINER: S. Kantamneni
ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS, NEW JERSEY 07632

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated February 10, 2006 of the Primary Examiner's final rejection of claims 1, 2, 5-6, 9 and 10.

The item(s) check below are appropriate:

- [X] A timely response to the final Rejection has been filed.
 [] An Extension of Time to respond to the Final Rejection was requested for two months.
 [] An Extension of Time to file a Notice of Appeal was granted for one month(s).
 [X] Charge statutory fee of \$500.00 to Deposit Account No. 12-1155. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1155. This request is being submitted in triplicate.


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